



**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)**

Docket No.  
23435-004

In re Application of: Randall B. METCALF

Serial No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Group Art Unit
08/749,766	November 20, 1996	✓ Daniel Swerdlow	2743

Invention: SOUND SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR CAPTURING AND REPRODUCING SOUNDS ORIGINATING FROM A PLURALITY OF SOUND SOURCES

**TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS**

This is a request under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to The Office Action of October 29, 2003 in the above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows:

One month  Two months  Three months  Four months  Five months

The requested extension is as follows:

Large entity

Small entity

Verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 C.F.R. 1.27:

Is enclosed.

Has already been filed in this application.

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The fee for the extension of time is \$210.00 and is to be paid as follows:

A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

Charge the amount of the fee to Deposit Account No. 50-0311. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311.

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 50-0311. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Dated: March 29, 2004

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